

CHAPTER 3. GRANT NUMBERING SYSTEM

3-1 GENERAL ARC funds must be accounted for separately from CDBG funds to provide ARC a status of expenditure and to determine whether funds are being used in accordance with applicable ARC rules. Accordingly, the procedures described below must be followed to assign the numbers to ARC grants administered in conjunction with CDBG funds:

A. State CDBG Program The Field Offices will assign grant numbers as follows:

1. All except the initial letter and the last four/five digits should be identical to the CDBG number previously assigned to the state;
2. The initial letter of identification for ARC projects is "A" and the ARC grants should be numbered consecutively beginning with 0001 for the last four digits of the grant number. For example, if the State CDBG number is B-90-DC-51-0001, the ARC project number should be A-90-DC-51-0001; and
3. If that state has two or more ARC projects within the same Fiscal Year, the projects should be numbered consecutively. For example, if that state has three ARC grants within FY 90, the ARC project numbers should be: A-90-DC-51-0001, A-90-DC-51-0002, and A-90-DC-51-0003.

B. HUD-Administered CDBG Program The New York Field Office will assign grant numbers when the "Field Office Manager's Certification" is prepared as follows:

1. The ARC grant number is the same as the Small Cities grant number for communities with an open CDBG grant, except the initial letter is "A". For example if the Small Cities grant number is B-90-DH-36-0055, the ARC grant number will be A-90-DH-36-0055.

2. Assign a Small Cities grant number for communities that do not have an existing CDBG grant, except the initial letter is "A" instead of "B".

C. Entitlement CDBG Program The HUD Field Office staff assigns the numbers for projects located in entitlement areas when the "HUD Field Office Manager's Certification" is prepared, as follows:

1. Assign the same number as the entitlement grant, except the initial letter is "A". For example, if the entitlement grant number is B-90-MC-01-0005, the ARC project number should be A-90-MC-01-0005. This number should be assigned by the Field Office when the "Field Office Manager's Certification" is prepared.